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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Navin N. Thakkar

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For: Flexible Nail Assembly For  
Fractures Of Long Bones

Mail Stop

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this response to the Final Office Action mailed on March 15, 2010. In view of following amendments and remarks, applicant respectfully request entry of this paper believed necessary to bring prosecution to speedy conclusion and to deal justly by Applicant and the public. Applicant believes that amended claims herewith define his invention in a manner that will give him patent protection to which he is justly entitled. This amendment does not introduce any new matter.